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IMPORTERS OF
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DEALERS IN
ANCIENT
GREEK AND ROMAN
COINS,
ENGRAVED GEMS,
BRONZES, POTTERY,
AND
ANTIQUITIES,
FOREIGN
COINS AND MEDALS.

S. H. & H. CHAPMAN,
Numismatists and Antiquaries,

NO. 1348 PINE STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.

ADDRESS PER OCEAN CABLES: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

DEALERS IN
AMERICAN
COINS AND MEDALS,
AND ESPECIALLY IN
FINE AND RARE
SPECIMENS,
PAPER MONEY,
NUMISMATIC BOOKS,
INDIAN
POTTERY AND
STONE IMPLEMENTS.

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Hon Secy of the Treasury,
Dear Sir,

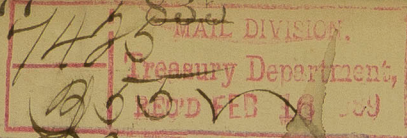
Will you kindly do us
the favor to send us an order on
the Secy of the Mint at Phila for fifty
minor proof sets 13, 5¢ 1889 and twenty-five
large proof sets 1889. Mr Fox said he
could not deliver them without your
order. We are informed that there
is now on hand in the Medal Clerk's
possession, ie officially - a number of sets
of each kind ^{including the 3 small pieces.} For many years past we
have purchased the above quantity so as to
enable us to supply our customers and
it will greatly oblige us if you will
comply with the above request. Might we
also ask for 50 gold dollars and 100 1/2 dollars and
1/4 gold dolls, these of course are of whatever years they
are now paying out.

Very Respectfully
S. H. Chapman

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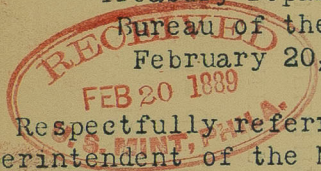
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A. H. & H. Chapman

*Wants certain proofs
sets - from the mint*

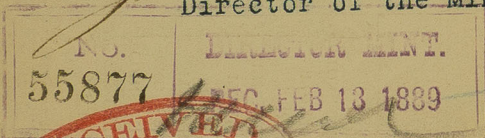
Treasury Department,
Bureau of the Mint,
February 20, 1889.



Respectfully referred to the
Superintendent of the Mint at
Philadelphia, who is authorized
to continue the issue already
begun of silver and minor-coin
proof pieces of 1889.

Applicants for gold proof
pieces of 1889 should be informed
that none have been struck.

James Kimball
Director of the Mint.



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U. S. Treasury Department.

Please inform
Messrs. Chapman
accordingly.
JPK.
By S.

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S.H. & H. Chapman,
Numismatics and Antiquaries,
Philadelphia.
February 14, 1889

Hon. Secy. of the Treasury

Dear Sir:

Will you kindly do us the favor to send us an order on the Supt. of the Mint at Phila. for fifty minor proof sets 1, 3, 5 cents 1889 and twenty-five large proof sets 1889. Mr. Fox said he could not deliver them without your order. We are informed that there is now on hand in the Medal Clerks possessions, i.e. officially – a number of sets of each kind. For many years past we have purchased including the 3 cent nickel pieces the above quantity so as to enable us to supply our customers and it will greatly oblige us if you will comply with the above request might we also ask for 50 gold dollar and 100 ½ dollars and ¼ doll. these of course are of what ever years they are now paying out.

Very respectfully,
S.H. & H. Chapman

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[Enclosed note:]

U.S. Treasury Department.

Please inform Messrs. Chapman accordingly.

J.P.K.
By S.